



# KEY CLICKS

The Green Bay Mike & Key Club, Inc.

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ARRL Charter # 1922

Club Call Sign K9EAM

147.120 + 147.360 +

443.500 +

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## AMATEUR PICNIC

The Green Bay Mike & Key Club and the Fox Cities Amateur Radio Club will host an inter-club picnic at Bay Beach Park in Green Bay on Saturday, June 2nd, beginning about 11:00 am 'til? The Clubs will provide the grills and pop. Bring your own meat, buns, plates & a dish to pass. Children of all ages are welcome. Rides are only 10 cents each! "Talk-in" will be on the 147.120 repeater. Grills will be 'fired-up' up at approximately 1:00 p.m. We will be gathering at shelter # 7. See you there!

## YMCA TRIATHLON

The annual YMCA Triathlon will be held on Saturday July 21st. Radio Operators will meet at 7:00 a.m. at Namur, just to the left of the curve, in Door County. We need 15 to 20 hams with two meter capability for communications. Hams on motorcycles are welcome. We will need someone to work 'marine mobile', then switch to a 'land' assignment. Interested persons should contact Virg Burmeister, WB9MHS, at home 864-7579 or at work 437-9281.

MINUTES OF THE MAY MEETING OF THE GREEN BAY MIKE AND KEY CLUB

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:35PM BY PRESIDENT SCOTT COLE, KB9AMM. A ROLL CALL WAS THEN TAKEN. IT WAS VOTED TO DISPENSE WITH THE READING OF THE APRIL MINUTES AS THEY WERE PUBLISHED IN THE LAST NEWS LETTER. THE TREASURES REPORT WAS GIVEN BY PAT, KA9VRK. IT WAS VOTED TO APPROVE THE REPORT. OUR CURRENT BALANCE IS \$3821.57. OUR FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS, WAS A REPORT BY BOB, WA9SWX ON THE NOVICE CLASS WHICH HAS JUST ENDED AND WE NOW HAVE THREE GRADUATES AND TWO OF THE THREE HAVE ALREADY PASSED THE TECHNICIAN EXAM. CONGRATULATIONS ! ITEM TWO WAS A REPORT FROM DALE, WB9NRK ON THE WALKATHON. HE STATED THAT IT WAS A SUCCESS THANKS TO THE HELP OF THE GROUP OF HAMS WHO VOLUNTERED. DALE HAS RECEIVED A LETTER OF THANKS FROM THE MARCH OF DIMES TO ALL THAT HELPED. OUR NEXT ITEM FOR DISCUSSION WAS THE SWAPFEST. SCOTT REPORTED THAT HE HAS PRINTED THE FLIERS AND WAS ABLE TO DISTRIBUTE OVER 1000 FLIERS AT DAYTON. THE HAMFEST COMMITTEE WILL BE MEETING VERY SOON FOR MORE PLANNING. MAKE PLANS TO HELP OUT AT THE YMCA TRIATHALON BEING HELD AT BAYSHORE PARK ON JULY 23RD. THIS EVENT IS ALWAYS A GOOD TIME. FOR MORE INFO, CONTACT VIRG, WB9MHS. SCOTT THEN REPORTED ON THE FIRST FOX HUNT OF THE YEAR. HIS HIDING SPOT WAS SO GOOD THAT HE HAD TO GIVE THE HUNTERS DIRECTIONS TO FIND HIM. WE THEN DISCUSSED THE FIRST ANNUAL HAM PICNIC, SPONSORED BY THE MIKE AND KEY CLUB AND THE FOX VALLEY CLUB. READ ON FOR MORE INFORMATION. ITEM SEVEN WAS THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE BYLAWS. THIS AMENDMENT CONCERNED THE DUTIES OF THE NEWS LETTER EDITOR. AFTER SOME DISCUSSION, THE VOTE WAS TAKEN AND ALL PRESENT WERE APPOSED TO THE SUGGESTED CHANGES. THE NEXT ITEM WAS ABOUT THE UP COMING SPECIAL EVENT STATION AT THE RAILROAD MUSEUM. THE DATES ARE JUNE 30TH AND JULY FIRST. CONTACT BOB, KA9BXG FOR MORE INFO. ALSO DISCUSSED WAS THIS YEARS FIELD DAY EVENT. WE WILL BE PARTICIPATING AGAIN THIS YEAR FORM THE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS. DATES ARE JUNE 23RD AND 24TH. WE HOPE TO HAVE A GOOD TURN OUT THIS YEAR. SET UP WILL BEGIN ON SATURDAY MORNING. MORE INFO TO FOLLOW.

UNDER ANNOUNCEMENTS, 1. THE APPLETON CLUB WILL HAVE AN AUCTION AT THEIR JULY MEETING. EVERYONE IS INVITED. 2. ON AUGUST 26TH THE BELEVUE OPTIMIST CLUB WILL HOLD THEIR ANNUAL CHILI COOKOFF. ALONG WITH THE FESTIVITIES IS A MARATHON RUN. THE OPTIMIST IS ASKING FOR COMMUNICATIONS HELP. CONTACT PHIL, WB9HBX FOR MORE INFO. 3. THE MIKE AND KEY CLUB GOT SOME PUBLICITY IN THE RADIO NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES LATELY, CONCERNING OUR FIFTY YEAR ANNIVERSARY. CHECK IT OUT. 4. WE ARE STILL WORKING ON THE PROBLEMS WITH THE 147.12 REPEATER. PLEASE BE PATIENT. WE HAVE SOME GOOD IDEAS IN THE WORKS AND HOPE TO HAVE FIXES SOON. 5. IF YOU MISSED THE LAST MEETING, YOU MISSED LOOKING AT ALL THE NEW APPEARANCE OF THE CLUB ROOM. THE FACELIFT TOOK PLACE WITH THE HELP OF SCOTT, KB9AMM- BOB, KA9BXG- EARL, KB9DSV- PAT, KA9VRK. TAKE SOME TIME AND HAVE A LOOK, YOU'LL BE PLEASANTLY SURPRISED.

AS THERE WAS NO MORE BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 8:19PM

## FIELD DAY NOTES

I hope that everyone had a nice MAY! JUNE is going to be a very busy month, but don't forget FIELD DAY weekend, JUNE 23rd and 24th. We will set up again at the Brown County Fairgrounds, just south of West DePere, at approximately 9 a.m. on the 23rd, with 'take-down' at about 12 noon or 1 P.M. on the 24th, depending on propagation conditions.

If you intend to stay overnight, plan ahead to bring your Motor Home, mini-Motor Home, Travel Trailer, Tent Camper, Tent, or a pillow & blanket so you can "crap-out" in your car/truck!! (and don't forget to bring 'food'!) The Club will sponsor soda, and gas for the generator/s, as usual.

We have a need for HF Radios to use, switch-boxes, Packet radio equipment, power cord/s, folding chairs, tables, 'shelters' (tents or whatever) for operating positions, etc.

Everyone is, of course, welcome, even if you do not plan to operate. Stop by and watch the "pros" operate!! It's always nice to have a lot of people out there. (Who knows...you may even appear on TV!!) A "sign-up" sheet will be available at the June meeting.

~~I hope everyone who participates or visits has a great time!~~

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## SPECIAL EVENT STATION

The GREEN BAY MIKE & KEY CLUB will conduct a 'Special Event' Station on JUNE 30th and JULY 1st at the National Railroad Museum on south Broadway, Green Bay. The purpose of this event will be to commemorate "RAILROAD DAYS", and also 'our' association with the ARRL for 50 years. Set-up will begin at about 10:00 a.m. We plan to award Certificates to all stations worked.

Anyone interested in "operating", please contact me: I will try to help, too. Hope to see you there!!

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DISCLAIMER: not responsible for any/all mistreaks, mistrokes, misinfo, etc. (this gets me off the 'hook'!!) KA9AIV/A-1 AL

#### VEC COORDINATOR

We are presently looking for someone to assume the position of Volunteer Examiner Coordinator. This person must hold an Extra class license, and pass a simple test. This persons' duties would be to coordinate the 'paper-work' and schedule exams. Interested persons may contact Don Baker, NB9J at 766-3886.

#### NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Green Bay Mike & Key Club, Inc. will be held on Thursday June 14th at the Red Cross Building in east Green Bay, corner of Deckner & Danz, at 7:30 P.M. Come on down and see the 'new' clubroom. Save gas and bring a friend!

#### FOX HUNT

The hidden transmitter hunt will take place on Wednesday June 13th, at 6:30 P.M. on 146.520 simplex. Join in on the fun! Work alone, or team up with a friend. Be the 'first' to locate the person hiding, and you get to watch everyone "attempt" to find YOU at the next Fox Hunt! (This activity is endorsed by the Surgeon General!)

#### MEMBERSHIP ADDITIONS/CORRECTIONS

Please add the following to your roster list:

Todd Schmeling, KE9PW, 2415 Sunrise Court, Green Bay, WI 54302, 468-6187.

#### OPTIMIST CLUB RUN

The Bellevue-east Optimist Club is sponsoring a 'Run' on Sunday, August 26th, followed by a "Chili cook-off." We have again been asked to help with communications. Interested persons should contact Phil Simila, WD9HBX, at 469-1118.

#### BE PROUD OF YOUR CALL!!

When using the "auto-patch", some of us (you!) do not enunciate properly. Most of us like to know the FCC-assigned callsign of the person/s authorized to use our membership privileges. We thank you for your cooperation!!

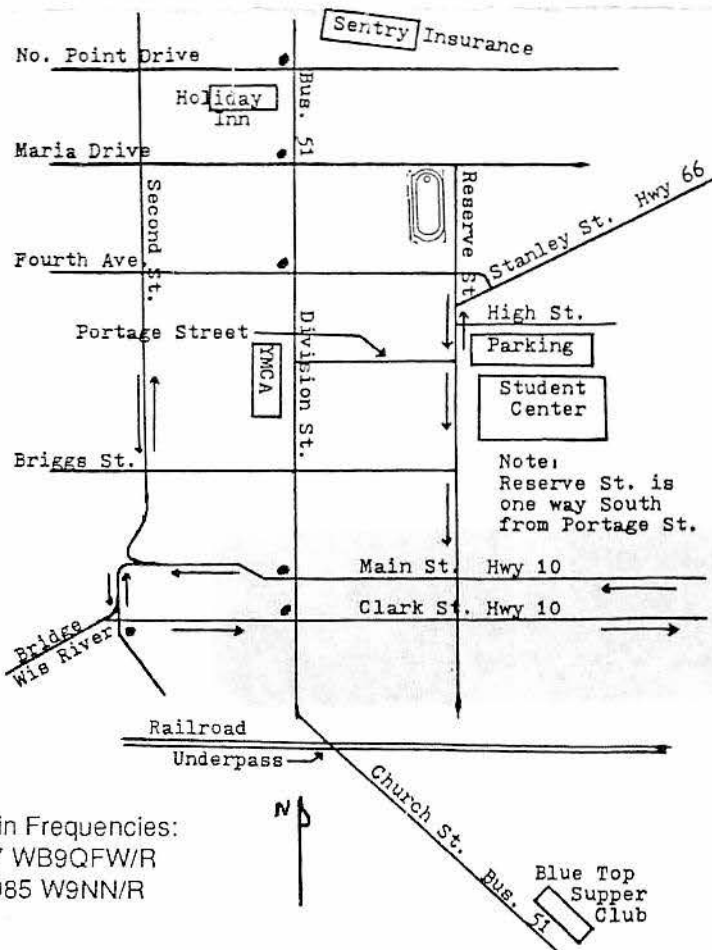
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# SWAPFEST

SUNDAY, JUNE 17, 1990  
UW-Stevens Point Student Center

All Under One Roof!

- \* Commercial Dealers
- \* Fastscan ATV Demo
- \* Ham Prize
- \* Door Prize
- \* Other Prizes
- \* Free Parking (UW Lots)
- \* Seminars
- \* FCC Exams
- \* Indoor Cafeteria
- \* Ladies Activities



Admission \$1

- 6:30 am - Vendors Set-up
- 8:00 am - Swapfest Opens
- 9:00 am - Net Traffic Handling (K9UTQ)  
-FCC Exam Session 1\* (KE9UT)
- 10:00 am - ARES/Emergency Com. (KE9UT)
- 11:00 am - Complex Impedances & Transmission Lines (K9DB)
- 11:30 am - FCC Exam Session 2\*
- 12:00 pm - WNA Meeting
- 1:00 pm - Fastscan Television (AD9W)
- 2:00 pm - Prize Drawings
- Ladies Activities To Be Announced

\* Be sure to bring:

1. Original license
2. Photocopy of license
3. Check to ARRL/VEC for ~~4.95~~ \$4.95

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